

STATE OF WASHINGTON

DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY, TRADE AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

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Farmworker Housing Infrastructure Loan Program

Specialized loans available to qualified growers to install the infrastructure needed to build or preserve farmworker housing on their farm property

Qualifications:

- ➤ Housing must be located on land owned or controlled by the borrowing grower.
- ➤ Housing must be used for seasonal and migrant farmworkers.
- ➤ Housing must meet Department of Health Temporary Worker Housing licensing standards.
- ➤ Housing must be owned, operated, and managed by the borrowing grower.
- ➤ Housing must be located within the State of Washington.
- ➤ Housing must meet all applicable codes and regulations.

Loan Terms:

- Grower must match loan funds at least dollar for dollar.
- ➤ Housing must be kept in use for seasonal farmworker housing for the term of the loan, which will not be less than 10 years.

Examples of eligible activities include, but are not limited to:

Concrete – tent pads, foundation, sidewalks Gravel – site, access road

Drinking water supply, including wells

Hook-up to existing water, sewer, or electrical

Drinking water treatment Permits related to eligible costs

Electrical –pump supply
Electrical entrance – transformer, poles
Engineering services
Excavation and grading – site or access road
Plan review
Propane tanks
Septic systems
Trenching

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